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2. ☒ Applicant(s) claims small entity status. See 37 C.F.R. § 1.27.
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- ☐ Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).
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9. ☐ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
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SUBTOTAL (1)

\$ 370

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
Total Claims	-20 =	x \$9 =	\$
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